

WINS TELEVISION SET

Miss Mary Benigno, 800 Washington street, won a Philco television set given away by Modern Appliance and Tractor Co. of Gulfport, Tuesday, December 27.

The set was delivered and installed Thursday, December 29.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Trentel and family returned home Saturday after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. John Zanca in New Orleans.

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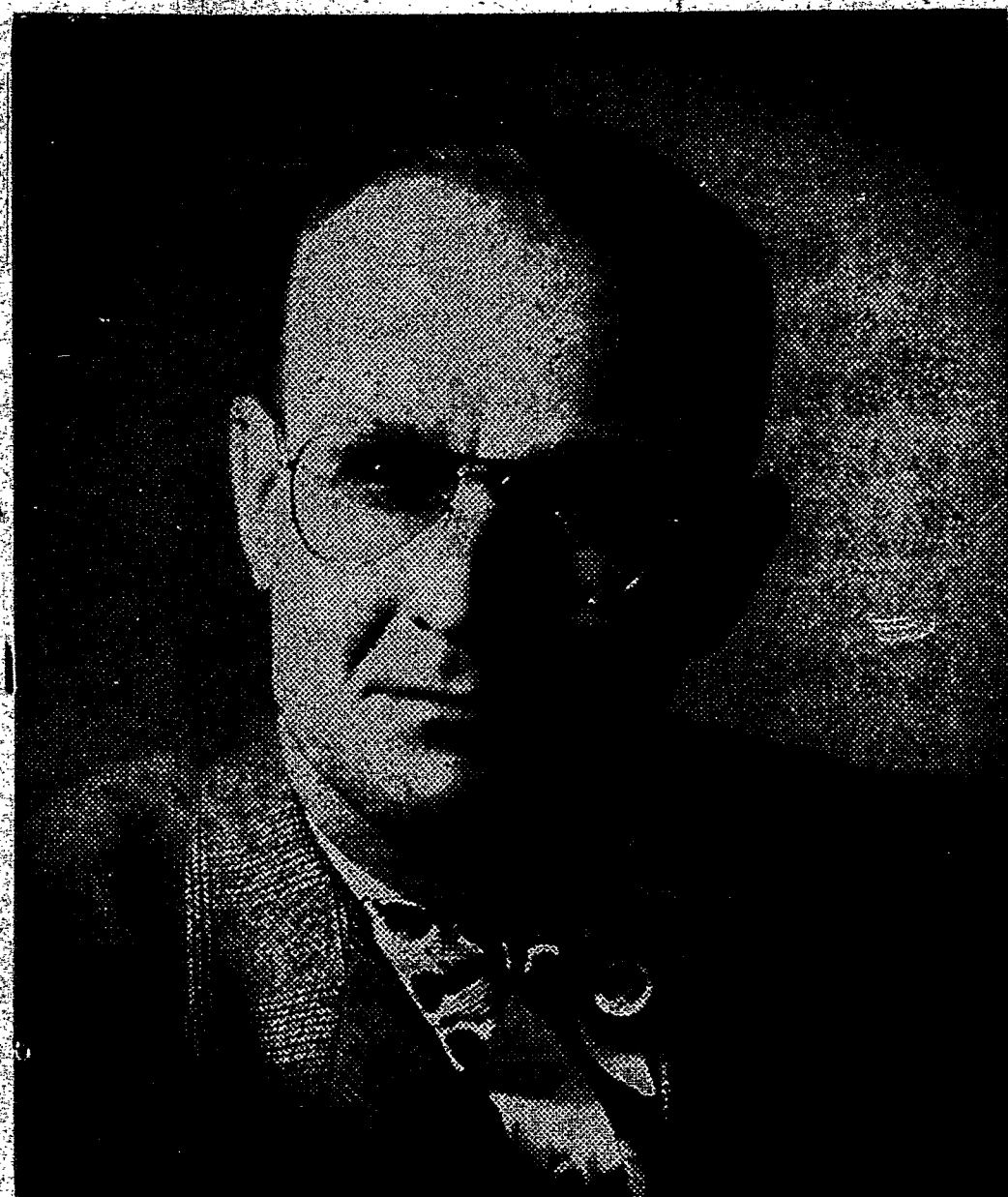
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HOME AGENT NOTES

Drop In Consumers Prices Seen

Even if farm income is lower in 1950 than it has been it is likely that farm family spending will not be cut in the same proportion.

Consumer prices have declined somewhat since the September 1949 high and may continue to drift downward. In addition, many articles that have been scarce on the market are now cheaper and in good supply.

HOUSING MATERIAL

All building materials in Mississippi for 1950 will likely be in good supply. Items as galvanized steel, wire nails and cast iron soil pipe have increased slightly in price due to the strike, but 1950 prices will likely not rise above present prices. Lumber prices will be about the same as for the past 3 months of 1949.

Continued increase in homes with electricity is predicted for 1950. Mississippi now has between 70 and 75 percent of the rural homes with electricity.

HOUSE FURNISHINGS

Most house furnishings have gone from a buyers market to a sellers market. Housewives are wanting more in a refrigerator than is found in a standard model. Larger style models are in demand.

CLOTHING AND TEXTILES

The price trend in textiles depends on what happens to the general economic situation. If "times are good" people will have money with which to buy and prices probably will not change much.

The general feeling in the apparel trade is that prices as a whole will be lower in the spring, although not all apparel and household textile articles will show declines.

ABIDE BY BUDGET

The consumer should plan to buy cautiously, and the family should plan a clothing budget and abide by it, where it is practical, do the family sewing at home. According to a survey made in 1949, 47 percent of those interviewed sew at home.

FOOD

From the over-all sully picture, supplies of meat and fish, dairy products and eggs, are expected to be greater in 1949. Although the retail price of milk may average slightly less, the larger total supply is not expected to result in more fresh milk.

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By-gone Days

APRIL, MAY, & JUNE, 1905.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Roberts of New Orleans spent a few days in Bay St. Louis as guests of the Pickwick Hotel.

Mrs. R. N. Blaize and little daughter spent a few days visiting their relatives, Mrs. F. Olivari and Miss Mathilde Olivari.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Cox spent a day or two in Biloxi on professional business.

Miss Eugene Spornio visited friends in New Orleans.

Mrs. W. A. McDonald entertained her friend, Miss A. Lorch of New Orleans.

Mrs. Charles Eillen returned from a week's stay in New Orleans on a visit to relatives.

Mr. John Odomach went to New Orleans to attend the theatre and to visit friends.

Miss Blanche Avery returned home from a stay in New Orleans with friends and her sister, Mrs. Berthelot, in Acension Parish, La.

Miss Jessie Cazeneuve returned to her home after a visit of several weeks in New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. deMontuzin returned from New Orleans where they visited their daughter, Mrs. C. K. de Lappe, in Esplanade Avenue.

Miss Queenie Homes, of New Orleans, was the guest of Mrs. Geo. R. Rea.

Miss Etta O. Bills, of Chicago, spent the winter at the Cameron home with her father, Mr. Orlando Bills.

Miss Etta O. Bills and friend, Mrs. Elizabeth S. Ryan spent two weeks in Havana, Cuba.

Mr. Louis H. Fairchild, went to New York City on a business trip.

Mrs. Henry Widmer entertained a number of friends from New Orleans.

Mrs. Jas. L. Blaize of Dunbar, La., visited her mother, Mrs. Ellen Bozetto in Washington street.

Mrs. C. C. Hart and daughter visited friends in New Orleans.

Miss Josie Surgis, of New Orleans, was the visitor of Miss Tyler, in Carroll avenue.

Mrs. C. Gardebled was a visitor to New Orleans.

Miss Cuneo attended a Southern Marlowe performance in New Orleans.

Prof. T. L. Trawick accompanied the High School baseball team to Biloxi.

Miss J. E. Welch, accompanied by Miss Blanche Avery spent a few days in New Orleans.

Mrs. Henry Piccaluga and little daughter visited friends in Biloxi.

Mrs. John Odomach spent a week in New Orleans.

Mrs. O. Kohner visited friends in Gulfport.

Miss Lulu Grimes visited her brother and family at Biloxi.

Mrs. C. Spornio spent a week in New Orleans visiting friends.

VISITS PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Broach, Charlotte, N. C., and Mrs. F. H. Arnold, Biloxi, N. C., and Miss Deleke Endo, Tokyo, Japan, spent the New Year's season here with Mrs. Broach's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Sellers.

Dr. Broach is pastor of the St. John Baptist church at Charlotte, N. C. Arnold is pastor of the Enfield Baptist church at Enfield; Miss Endo is a student at the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Woman's Missionary Union Training School.

Dr. Broach filled the pulpit of the Baptist church here Sunday evening and Rev. Arnold favored with two vocal solos at the morning and evening hours.

The group attended the Sugar Bowl game Monday.

Mrs. George Muller was the guest of Mrs. Henry Zambell of New Orleans.

Mrs. N. B. Hutton was called to Algiers, La., by the serious illness of an old friend of the family.

Mrs. W. W. Jenks and son, of Mobile, Ala., visited Doctor L. H. Von Gohren.

Mrs. E. Pate and children from Abbeville, La., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Bangard.

Mr. Charles T. Ryan spent two weeks with his sister, Miss Elizabeth Ryan.

Mrs. Casimere Fayard visited her son, Mr. Paul Delcuz, at Gulfport.

Miss Bessie McGuire visited Mrs. F. W. Brown, of "Brown's Vineyard."

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hart were visiting their son and daughter-in-law at their home in Main St.

Messrs. Geo. A. Boehm and Geo. H. Fahns were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. O. Sange.

Dr. and Mrs. R. deMontuzin came from New Orleans to spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. deMontuzin.

Mr. F. M. Rembert, of Wiggins, Miss., visited his grandson, Mr. Geo. A. Rea.

Mr. Schalmers of New Orleans visited his daughter, Mrs. Cameron.

Miss Rita Tudury and Mr. Julian Perre were married in the Catholic church.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Raphael Blaize died in May of 1905.

Among the June births of the city were Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Blaize, a son; Mr. and Mrs. A. Seafide, a son.

Miss Katie Laborde, of New Orleans, was the guest of her cousin, Miss Elsie Muller.

Misses Daisy Hodgson and Helen Flidin were the guests of Miss Welch in Union Street.

Mr. Geo. Odomach returned home from the University of Oxford.

The 20th Century Sanitary Soda Fountain was used exclusively at the Lewis Clarke Exposition.

Andrew Manieri was shot in the calves of both legs while handling a revolver.

Mr. Chas. A. Brown of New Orleans spent a month with relatives.

Dr. H. Weston took an office in the Echo building.

Chas. A. Breath, Jr., was christened at the Church of Our Lady of the Gulf. Sponsors were Mrs. Ernest J. Leonard and Mr. Wm. Saucier.

On Wednesday, June 7, 1905, at New Orleans, La., Miss Antonia M. La Camera and Mr. Albert B. Hyatt, were married.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus E. Telhard were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Voorhies for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy and family visited their relatives, Mr. William Ames and family.

Miss Dillard of Logtown visited her friends, the Misses Cazeneuve.

Miss Adrienne De Lappe was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. de Montuzin.

ORTIE'S THEATRE

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Vets, Remember These Deadlines

Veterans Administration today reminded veterans of important deadlines for VA administered benefits. The deadlines follow:

GI BILL

World War II veterans discharged before July 25, 1947, must start their GI BILL education or training before July 23, 1951. Veterans discharged after July 25, 1947, must begin their courses within four years after discharge.

In both cases, the training must be completed by July 25, 1956.

An exception has been made for veterans who enlisted or reenlisted under the Armed Forces Recruitment Act (Public Law 190) between October 6, 1945, and October 5, 1946. They have four years from the end of their Public Law 19 enlistment or reenlistment period in which to begin GI Bill training, and nine years from that date to complete it.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Disabled veterans of World War II may begin Public Law 16 education or training at any time after discharge, but in time to complete their course by July 25, 1956.

GI LOANS

World War II veterans may apply for loans guaranteed or insured under the GI Bill until July 25, 1957.

An exception has been made for veterans who enlisted or reenlisted under the Armed Forces Voluntary Recruitment Act. They have up to two years from their date of discharge to claim readjustment allowances, provided that they apply within five years from the termination of their Public Law 190 enlistment or reenlistment.

LIFE INSURANCE

A veteran of World War II who applies for new insurance, or to reinstate a lapsed policy, generally must furnish VA with satisfactory evidence of his good health. A service-incurred disability—less than total in degree—will be disregarded in determining good health, as long as he applies for new insurance or for reinstatement before January 1, 1950.

The disability must have been incurred in service between October 8, 1940, and September 2, 1945.

A veteran who applies for the NSLI total disability income provision also is required to furnish evidence of good health. In this case, too, a disability incurred in service between October 8, 1940, and September 2, 1945—but less than total in degree—will be disregarded in determining good health, as long as he applies for the total disability income provision before January 1, 1950.

CARS FOR DISABLED VETS
World War II veterans who in service lost, or lost the use of, one or both legs at or above the ankle may be entitled to receive an automobile or other conveyance at Government expense. They have until June 30, 1950, to apply.

OTHER BENEFITS

There are no deadlines for the VA administered benefits for veterans listed below. They may be applied for at any time.

Veterans of all wars and service-connected peacetime veterans—medical, hospital and domiciliary care.

Veterans of World War II—new National Life Insurance or reinstatement of lapsed NSLI.

Veterans of all wars and peacetime service—compensation for service-connected disabilities.

Veterans of World War II, World War I, and Spanish-American War—Pension for non-service-connected disabilities.

BENEFITS FOR SURVIVORS
Survivors of deceased veterans of all wars and of certain deceased veterans of peacetime service must file claims for burial allowances within two years after permanent burial or cremation.

Survivors of all veterans who died because of service-connected causes may apply for compensation at any time after the veteran's death.

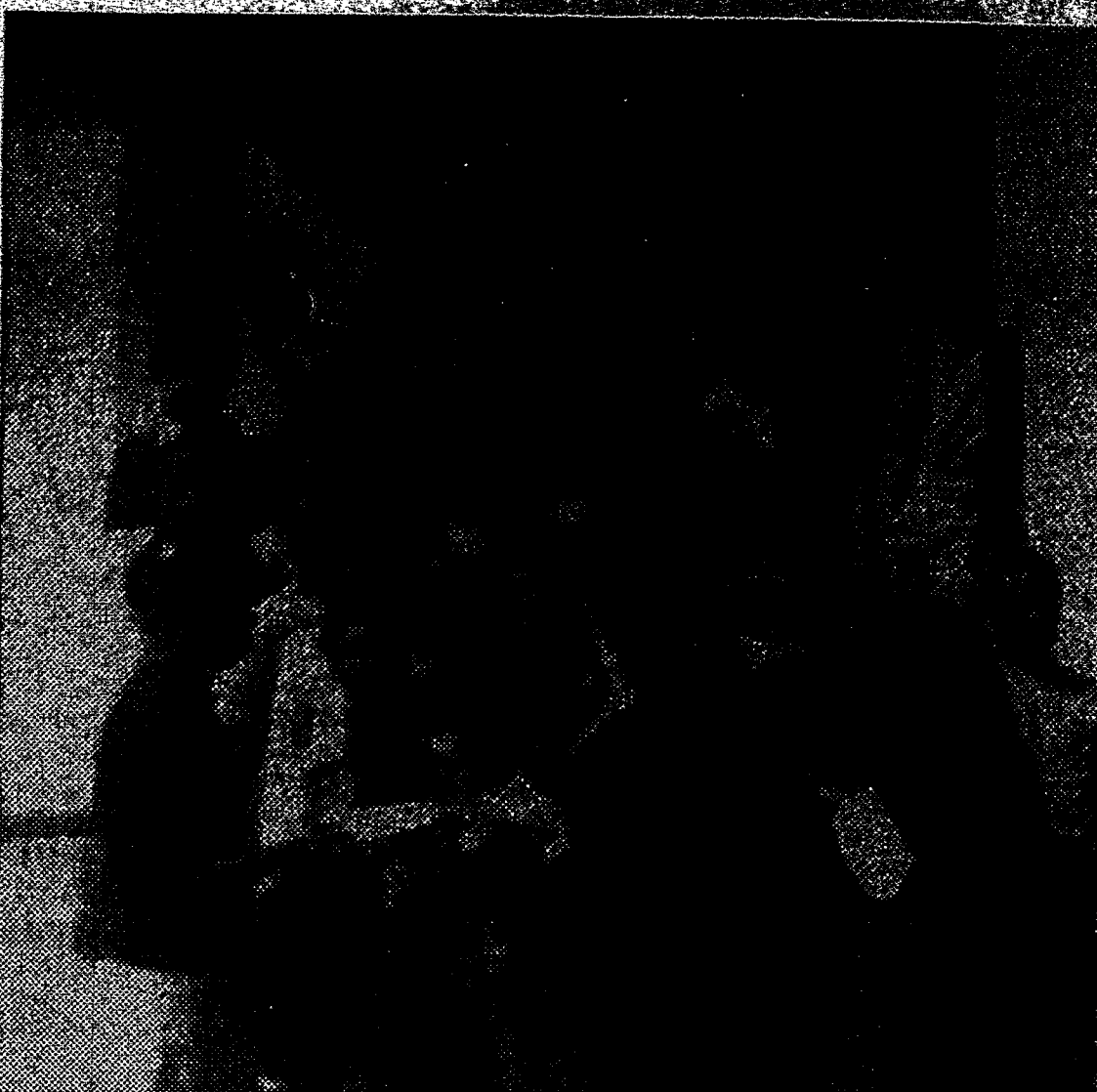
Survivors of veterans of World War II, World War I, and Spanish-American War who died because of causes not attributable to service may apply for pensions at any time after the veteran's death.

NEWS OF OUR COLORED PEOPLE

Four Novices Drown in New York

By Senior Students of St. Rose de Lima School

Rev. Edmund Morrison, novice teacher of the St. Michael's Mission Seminary of Conesus, New York, received word, while he was at St. Augustine's Seminary, that one of his Brother novices and three Brothers had drowned after their plane had crashed.



The picture shows the pupils of the seventh and eighth grades of St. Rose de Lima School presenting Sister Gerard, S. S. S., left, and Sister Mary Clare, the Most Reverend Bishop of Noyes of Accra, Africa.

On the same occasion the Members of the Holy Childhood and the Catholic Students Mission Crusade gave the Sisters \$40.00 for the African Missions. The Sisters left later in the month for Accra, Africa.

Mrs. Belle Fairconneture died December 29. Funeral services were held at the Valena C. Jones Methodist church with interment in Cedar Rest Cemetery. The deceased is survived by her husband, Mr. Paul Fairconneture, 9 children, 33 grandchildren, 2 brothers, and 4 sisters.

Rev. Father Marks, S. V. D., of the Philippines is presently recuperating at St. Augustine's Seminary.

The New Year was welcomed in by a party given at the home of Barbara Shackelford.

Joseph Lee of Holy Rosary School of Lafayette, La., spent the Christmas holidays with his family.

Friday night, December 30, a basketball game was played at St.

Rose de Lima School. The two St. Rose teams played the two Independent Bay teams; both the boys' and girls' Independent team were victorious.

Mr. and Mrs. Lefia Dautrive spent New Years day with Mrs. Amelia Dautrive and Mrs. Mary Williams.

Miss Lois Curry spent the Christmas holidays with her cousin, Miss Barbara Curry.

Miss Helen Ashley of Chicago, Illinois was the guest of Misses Mary Sedonia Williams and Mary Frances and Cecile Smith Saturday, December 31.

A party was given by the Nine-O-Aces at the home of Miss Beverly Fairconneture Monday, Jan. 2.

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Eight-Year Study Shows Value of Tung Fertilization

Santa Calixta, Calif.—Fertilization of tung trees has increased yield, hastened growth and hastened maturity to produce profits in 8 years. It was found that the tung tree matured and produced in 8 years when fertilized with tung fertilizer. The tung tree normally takes 12 to 15 years to mature and produce.

Without fertilizer, the tung tree in 1943 averaged a profit of \$2.38 per acre. Fertilized at the one pound rate, which cost \$3.40 per acre, the profit was \$43.76. The 1948 price of tung nuts was \$52 per ton, a figure considerably below previous years. Higher prices a few years ago caused profits from fertilized trees to go as high as \$95 per acre.

Heavier fertilization not only results in higher oil content of fruit and more vegetative growth the same year it is applied, but produces a larger, healthier tree. Larger yield of better nuts per acre reduce production and marketing costs, increasing profits. Eight years of study here indicate that profits due to fertilizer are multiplied year after year.

The Experiment Station recommended for fertilizing tung trees is as follows:

Apply 1 pound of fertilizer per tree at planting time, and increase by 1 pound each year up to a maximum of 1,000 pounds per acre. Use 6-8-4 the first three years; thereafter 12-8-8 or its equivalent. Fertilize newly-planted trees in the spring, working the fertilizer in within 15 inches of the trunk. For established trees, the fertilizer should be worked in the area beneath the outer spread of the branches between January and blossom time. The phosphorus and potassium may be applied to a leguminous cover crop at planting time.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Smith entertained relatives of New Orleans Monday, January 2.

Miss Jacqueline Swayne gave a holiday party Wednesday, December 28. Everyone had a wonderful time.

A New Year's party, sponsored by the Silver Aces, was given at the home of Miss Edna Holmes.

Miss Cecile Smith had as her guests on New Year's day Mr. Roy Gill and Mr. Samuel La Duque of New Orleans.

4 YEAR OLD BOY WAS WASTING AWAY

My son Bobby Jean, 4 years old, had been suffering from vomiting spells. Each attack sent him to bed with fever for 2 or 3 days. We tried all kinds of medicines but he continued to lose weight and grow pale and weak. We started giving him HADACOL and since the first dose he has never had a vomiting spell or fever. He gained 4 pounds in 2 weeks and is full of pep and energy. It is really remarkable how HADACOL has helped my child.

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WHO SHOULD TAKE HADACOL?

HADACOL is not a medicine. It is a concentrated FOOD FORMULA containing all the important vitamins in the B Complex, plus iron, as well as these vital minerals: calcium, phosphorus, potassium, sodium, magnesium, zinc, and copper. You can't get them from any food you eat. They are essential for your body's health. If you are deficient in any of them, you may be suffering from a disease or weakness. HADACOL will supply them for you. It is the most powerful "building material" you can get. It is the most powerful "health-giving" formula you can get. It is the most powerful "miracle formula" you can get. It is the most powerful "health-giving" formula you can get. It is the most powerful "miracle formula" you can get.

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Lindy Peas 2 No. 303 Cans **29c**
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Cream Corn 2 No. 303 Cans **27c**
Admiral 1/2 Lb. Prints, Colored—Lb. 31c
Margarine Creole—Lb. Uncolored—Ctn. **19c**

Hill's Special
EGGS Doz. **47c**

Velva, Vitamin Enriched
Evap. Milk 3 Tall Cans **35c**

That Creole Flavor—with Chicory
Creole Lb. Bag **53c**

Light Roast—Whole Bean—Pure Coffee
Velva Lb. Can **65c**

Ground To Suit You—Pure Coffee
Meloma Lb. Bag **58c**

The Economy Cup—with Chicory
Captain's Lb. Bag **45c**

Fresh Pork Rib or Loin End
PORK CHOPS 1 lb. **39c**

Agars, Special Brand Sliced
Bacon Lb. **33c**
Agars Ready To Eat—5 to 7 Lb. Avg.

Picnics Lb. **35c**
Fresh Pork—For Roast—4 To 8 Lb. Avg.

Pork Picnics Lb. **31c**
Armour Star Fresh Pork

Sausage Lb. **35c**
U. S. Good "Graded" Beef Chuck

Pot Roast Lb. **59c**
Fresh Pork—Meaty & Tender

Spare Ribs Lb. **39c**
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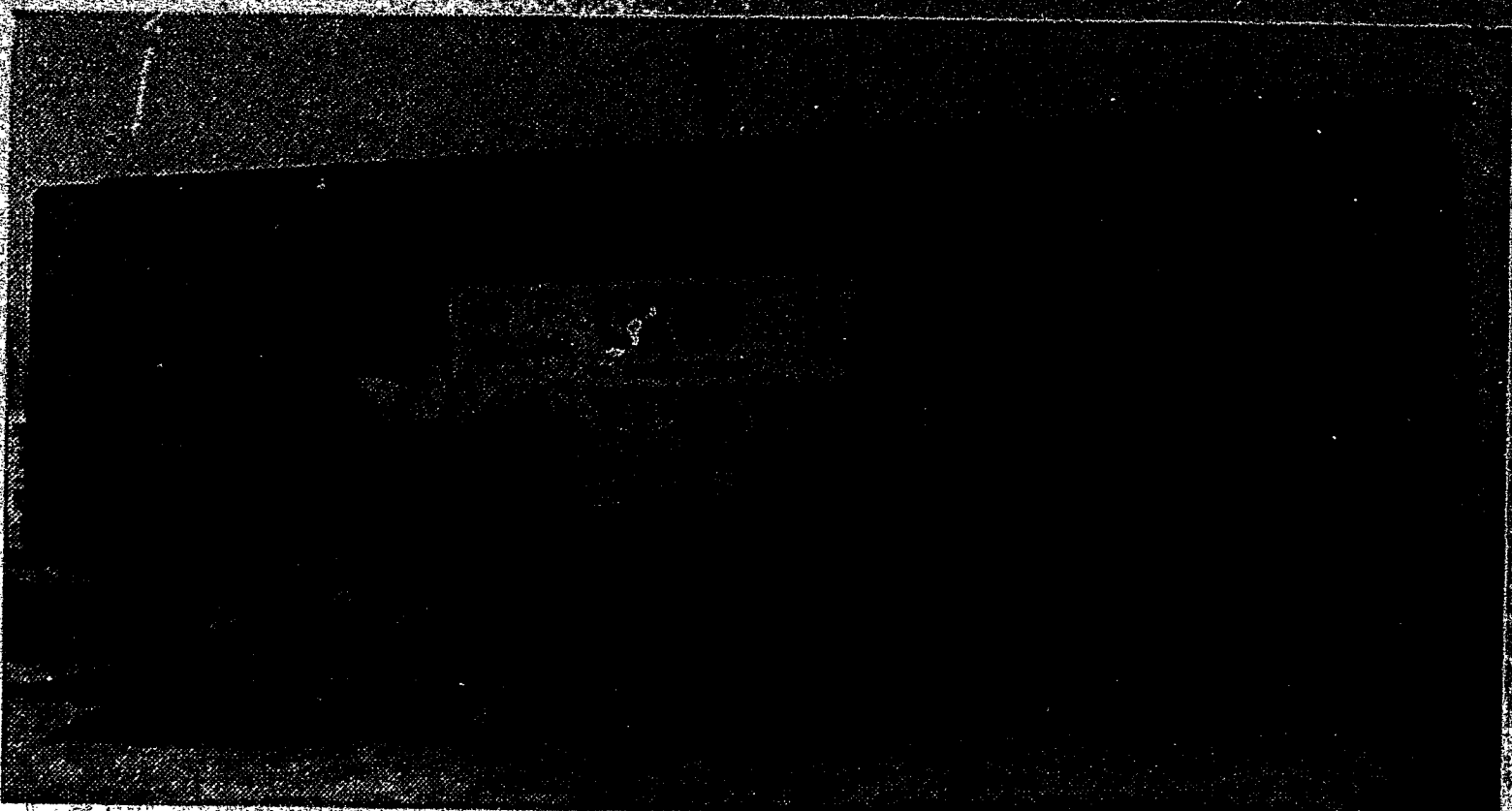
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By Mrs. H. K. Holderith

FROSTED GLASSES

Help Is On The Way



As Mississippi's car loads of food and fiber, contributed through the Christian Rural Overseas Program (CROP) for hungry and destitute millions overseas, have started rolling. Typical is the pictured car of shelled corn being loaded at Tupelo and given by Lee County farmers with assistance of town and city churches. From left to right are Marcus Easterling, member of Birmingham Baptist church, a donor; Rev. C. E. Patch, Baptist minister and district supervisor for CROP; Sam F. Marshall, manager Tupelo Marketing Company, county chairman; and W. J. Pernell, county agent, co-chairman. The 1949 CROP campaign will continue through January.

OFFER SCHOLARSHIPS FOR HEALTH STUDY

Scholarships for 12 months of graduate study in health education leading to a master's degree in public health are being offered to qualified college graduates by a philanthropic agency through the Mississippi Board of Health and the State Department of Education according to Dr. Felix J. Underwood, State Health Officer, and Mr. J. M. Tubbs, State Superintendent of Education.

TRAVEL ALLOWANCES

In addition to tuition for 12 months of training in public health education, in an approved School of Public Health, the scholarships provide travel allowances and a stipend of \$125 per month for living expenses. Any man or woman between the ages of 21 and 40 inclusive who meets the educational requirements is eligible to apply for a scholarship. The educational requirements include: a bachelor's degree from a recognized college or university, a basic cultural education and skills in the use of the English language; 27 semester hours or 40 quarter hours from the following basic sciences: physics, chemistry, biology, anatomy, Physiology, Bacteriology and mathematics; 15 semester hours in education and educational psychology and/or social sciences.

WORK IN MISSISSIPPI

Persons receiving scholarships will return to Mississippi to work as a health educator. Health educators at the present time are employed in Lee, Washington, Cohoma, Bolivar, Jackson, Sunflower, and Forrest counties; Delta State Teachers College, East Central Junior College, Jackson College, and Okolona Industrial Institute.

Applications for scholarships will be accepted during January and

Army Reserve Corps Has Commissions For Veterans

A second lieutenant's commission in the Army Reserve Corps awaits the qualified ex-service man or service woman according to a statement today by T/Sgt. Dr. Amos, (Sergeant in charge of the Gulfport Army and Air Force Recruiting Station.)

Among those eligible to apply are former Warrent Officers, former first three graders of the Army or Army Air Corps who served prior to 1 July 1947 and accredited college or university graduates who served in any enlisted grades for one year before 1 July 1947. War time members of any of the armed forces who served in grades equivalent to the first three Army enlisted or Warrent Officer grades may also apply, as of now in the Regular Army, according to the statement.

Applications will be accepted by Headquarters Third Army, from applicants up to 32 years of age until July 15, 1950. After that date appointments will be limited to those under 28 years of age.

Complete information and application forms for this offer may be obtained by contacting the Gulfport Army and Air Force Recruiting Station, telephone 2009, or the Mississippi Military District located at Jackson, Miss.

When a World War II American pilot said he was going to "hang out the laundry," his mission was to drop paratroops in enemy territory.

The Army Quartermaster Corps is older than the Constitution.

February, 1950, and awards will be made for entrance to a school of Public Health in the fall of 1950. For further information regarding these scholarships, write the Health Education Office, Mississippi State Board of Health, Jackson, Mississippi.

BAY O. E. S. INSTALLS OFFICERS THURSDAY

Officers of the Bay Chapter No. 129, Order of the Eastern Star, were installed Thursday, January 5, at the Masonic Temple at 8 p. m. Installing officers were Miss Rama Byrd, district deputy grand matron, and Mrs. Nettie Byrd, past matron, Ann Grayson, Chapter, Biloxi.

Mrs. Norma Rome was installed as matron; Sylvester Rome, patron; Mrs. Pearl Register, associate matron; John D. Vaughn, associate patron; Mrs. Eva Vaughn, associate matron; Dr. J. A. Evans, treasurer; Mrs. Thelma Henley, conductress; Mrs. Eva Ruhr, associate conductress; Mrs. Nellie Nelson, chaplain; Mrs. Mildred Middleton, marshal; Mrs. Lena Stockstill, pianist; Mrs. Ruth Melleur, Ada; Mrs. Dora Kemmar, Ruth; Mrs. Mildred Ramond, Esther; Miss Augusta Leithrick; Martha; Mrs. Nora Boarge, Electa; Paul Henley, warden; and Alvah Ruhr, sentinel.

When the Armed Forces Unification bill was signed, it was the first time the size of the Cabinet was decreased by changes in its structure.



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Farm Prospects For 1950 Differ From Those Of Last Two Years

By Howard P. Simon

FARM OUTLOOK FOR 1950

Prospects for 1950, as indicated by the farm of business, farming will be much more favorable than in 1949, and the outlook for 1950 is much brighter than in 1949. The outlook for 1950 is much brighter than in 1949. The outlook for 1950 is much brighter than in 1949.

General business activity in the farm is expected to stay at a level only a little below 1949, but still well above any year prior to 1949. In Mississippi, drastically lower income to farmers due to the poor cotton crop and lower prices for farm products in 1949 will weaken business activity.

EXPECT LOW PRICES

Prices for most farm products are expected to be lower in 1950, although still much above pre-war. Production costs and family living costs will not drop as fast as prices received by farmers.

Gross cash farm income to Mississippi farmers in 1949-50 may drop as much as one-third below the record high of \$533,000,000 in 1948. This would be a drop of about \$670.00 average per farm family.

Cotton acreage allotments and probable lower prices may further tend to hold farm income down in 1950. Lower prices for livestock and livestock products will also contribute to lower income.

FARM VALUES DOWN

Farm real estate values in Mississippi are down about 10 percent from the peak reached in late 1948 and early 1949. But only July 1, 1949 the average value of farm land was still 146 percent above the 1935-39 average.

The fertilizer prospect in Mississippi is not unfavorable if all farmers who can possibly store fertilizer will buy by February 1 at least 40 percent what they need for 1950. Plants have moved all they can store, and some are closed.

It will not be possible to apply even the same amount of fertilizer as was used in 1949 if farmers wait until the spring of 1950 to buy it, according to manufacturers.

LARGE COTTON SUPPLIES

Seed supplies will again be very large in 1950, including both grain and seed cotton. The outlook for 1950 is much brighter than in 1949. The outlook for 1950 is much brighter than in 1949.

The cotton outlook is very unfavorable both for 1950 and for the long range view. Mississippi cotton production in 1949 is estimated at 1,470,000 bales, which is 38 percent below 1948, despite a 10 percent increase in acreage. Value of the 1949 Mississippi cotton crop is estimated at about \$232,000,000 compared with \$441,000,000 in 1948.

The United States 1949 cotton crop was the largest since 1937, about 15.5 million bales. Carry-over next August 1 may be 8.25 million bales.

Recent devaluation of foreign currencies may tend to reduce cotton consumption by decreasing exports of cotton textiles and by increasing U. S. imports of foreign textiles. Competition from rayon and synthetic fibers will continue to increase.

The national cotton acreage allotment is set at 21,000,000 acres for 1950, or a 20 percent reduction from 1949.

UPWARD TREND

Livestock and meat production trend is upward. Numbers of both hogs and cattle are increasing, with result in moderately lower prices for meat and meat animals.

The dairy outlook is a little less favorable than a year ago. Prices for dairy products in 1950 will be below 1949.

Poultry and eggs will be in less favorable position than in 1949. Fewer chickens and turkeys are in prospect. But poultry meat production will be close to the average of recent years.

Commercial truck crops outlook is less favorable than in 1949.

Sweet potato production in 1950 could increase considerably without glutting the market.

Forest products demand will be off slightly, if any, from 1949.

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